Purpose:
To define the board type and outline the structure in which it will operate.

Policy:

- The ASA is an advisory board in that it exists under the authority of and provides non-binding strategic advice to the host organization, the University of Alberta Students’ Union.

- The ASA holds governing powers in that it is independently incorporated and has legal authority over and responsibility for its resources and activities.

- The board defines, through policy and bylaw, the parameters of the organization.

- As an Incorporated Society, the ASA must maintain Directors and Officers Liability Insurance.